

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 115–23****OFFERED BY MR. GRAVES OF LOUISIANA**

At the end of subtitle H of title XII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 12\_\_ . LIMITATION ON FOREIGN MILITARY SALES TO**  
2 **THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Defense may not  
4 enter into any foreign military sale (as authorized under  
5 chapter 2 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C.  
6 2761 et seq.)) for the transfer of defense articles or de-  
7 fense services to the United Arab Emirates unless the Sec-  
8 retary certifies to the Committee on Armed Services of  
9 the Senate and the Committee on Armed Services of the  
10 House of Representatives that the United Arab Emirates  
11 has taken concrete measures and made significant  
12 progress towards achieving the release of all United States  
13 citizens held in the country’s debtor prisons and is com-  
14 mitted to achieving and maintaining a zero rate of United  
15 States citizens in the country’s debtor prisons in the near  
16 future.

17 (b) PLAN.—The Secretary of Defense shall develop  
18 and submit to the Committee on Armed Services of the  
19 Senate and the Committee on Armed Services of the

1 House of Representatives a plan to require the United  
2 Arab Emirates to disclose to the United States the num-  
3 ber of United States citizens that are being held in the  
4 United Arab Emirates against their will and the country's  
5 plan to adjudicate and reduce that population.

6 (c) DEFENSE ARTICLE AND DEFENSE SERVICE DE-  
7 FINED.—In this section, the terms “defense article” and  
8 “defense service” have the meanings given those terms,  
9 respectively, in section 47 of the Arms Export Control Act  
10 (22 U.S.C. 2794).

